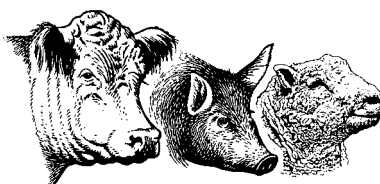


# LIVESTOCK and PRODUCTS

**VALUE OF LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION:** The 2003 total value of livestock and poultry production increased 3.8 percent to \$1.45 billion, from 2002's revised value of \$1.40 billion. The value of milk increased slightly from last year's \$674.4 million. In 2003, all cattle and calves rose 5.4 percent to end the year at \$475.5 million. Hogs and pigs value of production increased 8.1 percent to \$3.74 million in 2003. The value of production for all sheep and lambs ended at \$3.97 million for a 23 percent increase. The value of wool rose 9.5 percent in 2003 to \$184,000. Mink pelt value of production decreased

18 percent to \$2.75 million in 2003 from \$3.37 million. The value of production of trout decreased 4.7 percent to \$9.24 million. Other aquaculture dropped \$5 million to \$75.0 million. The value of production of farm chickens was a nominal \$8,000. Egg producers ended the year with a value of production of \$70.4 million, the largest value in several years. Honey production jumped to 52 percent to \$4.94 million. All other livestock and poultry items increased to \$52.2 million from \$47.3 million, 10 percent above last year.



## Value of Production, Washington, 1999-2003

Commodity	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2003 % of Total
	1,000 Dollars					Percent
Milk	824,715	715,904	827,100	674,400	675,301	46.6
All Cattle and Calves	454,222	560,729	492,641	451,016	475,522	32.8
All Hogs and Pigs	4,781	5,817	4,967	3,461	3,742	0.3
All Sheep and Lambs	3,077	3,525	3,080	3,236	3,971	0.3
Wool	141	140	178	168	184	0.0
Mink	4,354	3,832	3,789	3,366	2,754	0.2
Other Aquaculture 1/	39,984	44,899	75,000	80,000	75,000	5.2
Trout	6,510	6,477	8,271	9,690	9,239	0.6
Chickens, Farm	105	91	10	7	8	0.0
Eggs	59,041	59,985	62,544	55,460	70,360	4.9
Honey	1,560	1,629	1,797	3,239	4,937	0.3
Broilers	2/	2/	3/ 81,704	3/ 65,078	3/ 74,904	5.2
Minor Livestock and Poultry 4/	152,316	116,028	43,034	47,340	52,265	3.6
<b>Total Livestock and Poultry</b>	<b>1,550,806</b>	<b>1,519,056</b>	<b>1,604,115</b>	<b>1,396,461</b>	<b>1,448,187</b>	<b>100.0</b>

1/ USDA/NASS data, 2000-2003; Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife, 1999.

2/ Included in minor livestock and poultry prior to 2001.

3/ Washington Fryer Commission total weight multiplied by USDA US Average bird liveweight price per pound.

4/ Minor livestock and poultry includes turkeys, including eggs, broilers (1999-2000), ducks, geese, horses, burros, donkeys, mules, goats, mohair, rabbits, chinchilla skins, etc.